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78.	Paschim Vihar	15570
79.	Pitampura	33592
80.	Patel Nagar-I	6645
81.	Patel Nagar-II	7413
82.	Rajouri Garden	11821
83.	Rohini	31111
84.	Sunder Vihar	15316
85.	Tilak Nagar	22525
86.	Tri Nagar	3141
87.	Shakurbasti	Temporarily closed

Paediatric TB

†3275. SHRI SURENDRA LATH: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that the paediatric TB is still a concern in many States including Orissa;
- (b) if so, what are the figure of paediatric TB cases in the country, State-wise;
- (c) what are the measures taken by Government to eradicate the paediatric TB in the country, especially in Orissa State; and
- (d) What is the position of funds in the various States with regards eradication of paediatric TB?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRIMATI PANABA LAKSHMI): (a) and (b) Yes, Sir. Paediatric TB is of concern as it is a reflection of the prevalence of sputum smear positive pulmonary tuberculosis and the extent of transmission of TB infection in the community. 6 to 8% of all new TB

†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.

cases reported under the Programme are of paediatric age group (0 to 14 years). In the year 2006, the percentage of paediatric cases reported at National level and Orissa State was 6% and 4% respectively. The state-wise details about paediatric cases (0-14 yrs.) registered under the Programme during year 2006 is given in Statement-I (*see below*)

(c) As paediatric TB is a reflection of extent of transmission of TB infection in the community, detection and cure of adult tuberculosis will prevent the transmission of TB infection and hence reduce the burden of paediatric tuberculosis. Various steps taken under the Programme to cut the chain of transmission and control of tuberculosis cases are:

To achieve and maintain a cure rate of 85% amongst new sputum positive cases and to detect and maintain a case detection rate of at least 70% amongst such cases.

Uninterrupted supply of quality drugs to patients in patient-wise boxes for the entire duration of treatment under direct observation (DOTS).

Paediatric patient-wise boxes have been introduced from the year 2006 onwards to improve compliance and acceptability of Directly Observed Treatment (DOT) in paediatric age groups.

All Children < 6 yrs of age who are household contacts of smear positive TB cases are screened for TB and after excluding active tuberculosis are offered chemoprophylaxis using Isoniazid (INH) 5mg/ kg body weight.

BCG vaccination is available under the Universal Immunization Programme (UIP) in the country which prevents severe form of TB in children.

(d) Management of paediatric TB is one of the activities under Revised National Tuberculosis Control Programme. State-wise detail of funds allocation and expenditure during the last 3 years is given in statement-II.

Statement-I*Paediatric Cases Registered under the Programme during the year 2006*

State	No.(%) of Paediatric cases (0-14 Years) out of all New cases	
1	2	3
Andaman & Nicobar	135	17%
Andhra Pradesh	2539	3%
Arunachal Pradesh	56	3%
Assam	888	3%
Bihar	2174	4%
Chandigarh	225	12%
Chhattisgarh	1309	5%
D & N Haveli	15	5%
Daman & Diu	1	0%
Delhi	5223	14%
Goa	161	10%
Gujarat	2690	5%
Haryana	1395	5%
Himachal Pradesh	229	2%
Jammu & Kashmir	219	2%
Jharkhand	1175	4%
Karnataka	3078	6%
Kerala	1930	9%
Lakshadweep	0	0%
Madhya Pradesh	2298	4%
Maharashtra	6825	6%
Manipur	276	8%
Meghalaya	246	9%

1	2	3
Mizoram	82	5%
Nagaland	189	9%
Orissa	1486	4%
Pondicherry	21	2%
Punjab	1680	6%
Rajasthan	4142	5%
Sikkim	183	16%
Tamil Nadu	8255	11%
Tripura	21	1%
Uttar Pradesh	10118	5%
Uttaranchal	523	6%
West Bengal	4910	5%
Grand Total	64697	6%

Statement-II***Statewise Funds Allocation and Expenditure under the National TB Control Programme***

Sr. No	State/UT	2004-05		2005-06		2006-07	
		Allocation	Exp.	Allocation	Exp.	Allocation	Exp.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1.	Andhra Pradesh	700.00	775.42	1100.00	1295.77	1314.88	1591.08
2.	Arunachal Pradesh	31.03	123.52	55.50	140.71	50.94	111.75
3.	Assam	750.26	536.17	1318.13	872.40	1209.91	70054
4.	Bihar	903.34	669.11	1223.56	615.39	1509.31	1227.17
5.	Goa	14.17	24.00	22.71	28.87	23.07	36.35
6.	Gujarat	551.38	710.10	890.42	938.96	904.60	1155.58
7.	Haryana	200.00	200.05	200.00	201.82	200.00	201.02
8.	Himachal Pradesh	66.47	173.84	105.42	267.24	107.10	271.38
9.	Jammu& Kashmir	110.06	195.20	181.65	30502	184.54	258.70
10.	Karnataka	574.26	482.85	911.51	1020.93	926.02	1247.97

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
11.	Kerala	346.52	327.12	535.23	664.57	543.75	442.03
12.	Madhya Pradesh	658.17	752.73	1068.73	873.15	1085.85	1116.78
13.	Maharashtra	1054.81	1038.69	1702.99	1640.93	1730.10	1626.13
14.	Manipur	67.69	95.07	124.88	177.85	114.62	183.59
15.	Meghalaya	64.87	45.19	120.25	131.15	110.38	98.73
16.	Mizoram	25.38	72.14	46.25	96.05	42.45	99.60
17.	Nagaland	56.41	65.67	110.00	113.82	101.89	150.97
18.	Orissa	600.00	100.20	300.00	368.02	640.96	591.14
19.	Punjab	264.79	226.93	423.31	299.78	430.05	594.02
20.	Rajasthan	615.67	643.99	1012.06	784.53	1028.18	613.30
21.	Sikkim	14.10	53.25	27.75	59.65	25.47	67.97
22.	Tamil Nadu	676.69	995.96	1050.99	1431.46	1067.72	1202.61
23.	Tripura	90.26	49.05	157.25	49.44	144.34	45.04
24.	Uttar Pradesh	1809.96	1476.21	2718.98	2966.51	2998.85	3914.04
25.	West Bengal	873.90	978.17	1389.97	1356.88	1412.09	1699.82
26.	Delhi	150.38	479.11	262.83	574.68	263.63	735.15
27.	Pondicherry	10.90	15.00	16.43	10.44	16.48	20.87
28.	Andman & Nicobar	3.27	18.00	6.57	12.10	6.59	16.04
29.	Chandigarh	9.81	38.00	16.43	43.27	16.48	79.79
30.	D & N Haveli	2.18	5.00	4.92	10.00	4.94	26.35
31.	Daman & Diu	2.18	5.00	3.28	3.60	3.30	24.96
32.	Lakshadweep	1.09	0.00	1.64	0.01	1.65	7.33
33.	Jharkhand	957.30	261.45	342.32	292.58	481.13	652.80
34.	Uttaranchal	302.49	128.09	106.68	197.47	149.94	190.05
35.	Chattisgarh	740.21	349.38	260.26	353.70	365.79	546.79
Total		13300.00	12109.66	17820.00	18198.55	19217.00	21547.44
HQ		700.00	1253.37	780.00	571.50	1000.00	549.97
Grand Total		14000.00	13363.03	18600.00	18770.05	20217.00	22097.41

Note: Provision increased to Rs. 18770.05 lakhs at FE Stage in 2005-06

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